

**Warning
Poultney Town Meeting 2022
In-Person**

The citizens of the Town of Poultney, in the County of Rutland and the State of Vermont, who are legally qualified to vote in the Town Meeting, are hereby warned to meet at the Poultney Fire Department, 55 Fire House Lane, in the Town of Poultney on **Monday, February 28, 2022 at 7:00 p.m.** to transact at that time, business not involving voting by Australian Ballot.

The meeting will be recessed at the conclusion of the transaction of such business until 10:00 a.m. on the following day at the Poultney Fire Department located at 55 Fire House Lane, this being Tuesday, March 1, 2022 at which time business, involving voting by Australian Ballot and voting required by law to be by ballot, will be transacted.

(Ballot boxes/Polls will be opened at 10:00 a.m. and will close at 7:00 p.m.)

1. To elect the following Town Officers and fill any vacant office: (a) One (1) Town Moderator for a term of one year; (b) One (1) Selectboard member for a term of three years; (c) Two (2) Selectboard members for a term of one year; (d) One (1) Lister for a term of three years; (e) One (1) Library Trustee for a term of five years; (f) One (1) Quarry Valley Unified Union School District Director for a term of three years; (g) One (1) Quarry Valley Unified Union School District Director for an unexpired two years of a three year term.
2. Shall the Town accept the Independent Auditor's Report?
3. Shall the Town adopt the General Fund Budget of \$1,457,548, less estimated receipts of \$104,250, less surplus, if any, and authorize the Selectboard to set a tax rate sufficient to raise the specific amounts voted for the Fiscal Year 2022/2023?
4. Shall the Town Highway District adopt a Highway Fund Budget of \$946,575, less surplus, if any, and authorize the Selectboard to set a tax rate sufficient to raise the specific amounts voted for the Fiscal Year 2022/2023?
5. Shall the Town provide limited authority to the Selectboard to explore the possibility of entering into a tax stabilization agreement with Regenerative Land Holdings, LLC to promote the redevelopment of the property that formerly served as the campus of Green Mountain College, which agreement shall be effective upon ratification by a majority of those present and voting at an annual or special meeting warned for that purpose pursuant to 24 V.S.A. § 2741(b)(2)?
6. Shall the Town of Poultney require that the public be given an opportunity for remote attendance and participation in all meetings of the Poultney Selectboard, through a videoconferencing arrangement which allows for both audio and visual participation?
7. Shall the Town cease assessing and collecting taxes on personal property in the Town?
8. Shall the voters of the Town of Poultney authorize cannabis retailers and integrated licensees in Town pursuant to 7 V.S.A. § 863?
9. Shall the voters of the Town of Poultney authorize the Selectboard to appoint a committee to study the feasibility of a merger between the Town of Poultney and the Village of Poultney dependent

upon the Village of Poultney placing a similar feasibility study on the Village Ballot in May, 2022, and both Articles passing in both elections?

Dated this 25th day of January, 2022.


Jeffrey M. King, Chairperson

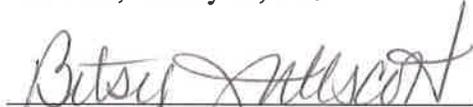

Terry K. Williams, Vice-Chairperson


Carol A. Bunce


Sheryl Porrier


Richard LaPierre

Received, January 25, 2022


Betsy J. Wescott, Poultney Town Clerk